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Seven Truckloads of Waste Tires Leave Two Bracken County Sites

On Oct. 5, the Bracken County properties of Robert Rumford and Kristin Mitic became cleaner thanks to the efforts of the Division of Waste Management (DWM) and the funding of the Waste Tire Program. Seven truckloads, approximately 15,480 tires, were staged and hauled away by contractors working on Rumford's 5.8 acres and Mitic's 12.5 acres.

Both landowners, who live just down the street from each other, inherited their tire problem from previous owners. Rumford knew of one small pile when he bought his property, but upon further inspection, found a huge pile covered by brush and honeysuckle vines. Mitic knew she had some cleaning up to do when she bought her property, but when she saw the tire pile while quad riding, she couldn't believe that it was on her land.

"I contacted people I know to see how much it would cost me to get the tires cleaned up," said Mitic. "They gave me an estimate of \$30,000 to \$40,000."

Rumford and Mitic contacted Bracken County Solid Waste Coordinators Tommy and Caroline Jefferson, who in turn contacted Ricky Solomon at DWM. Solomon and JR Holt checked out the sites and found that there was a need to expend waste tire funds. After working through contractor changes and unfavorable weather conditions, DWM has managed to rid Bracken County of these tire eyesores and nuisances.

"Getting rid of these tires will mean a lot," Rumford said. "I will be able to gain a little more ground and be able to put the area in hay instead of tires."

Call Ricky Solomon or JR Holt at 502-564-6716, or e-mail Ricky.Solomon@ky.gov or Frederick.Holt@ky.gov if you have questions concerning the Waste Tire Program.

Waste Tire Working Group Holds First Open Meeting and Schedules Second

The Waste Tire Working Group, the governor-appointed five-member panel which formed as part of the passing of House Bill 433, held its first open meeting on Sept. 19. The panel consists of the DWM Director, who serves as the chair, the branch manager of Recycling and Local Assistance, a Department of Agriculture representative, and two representatives of the Solid Waste Coordinators of Kentucky (SWaCK).

The group explored ways to control waste tires in Kentucky such as developing a core charge for waste tires and strengthening enforcement activities.

The next open meeting is scheduled for Oct. 31 from 9:30 am to 12 pm in Frankfort at the 300 Fair Oaks Building in Conference Room 301D. Topics for discussion include changes to the waste tire fact sheets, draft core fee information packet, and review of the waste tire report, including source of data and assumptions. The public is invited to attend.

For more information on the Waste Tire Working Group, please visit <http://waste.ky.gov>.

Creative Recycling Systems

The e-Scrap contract period for January 2009 through September 2011 brought the total pounds collected to 8,375,248 lbs. or 4,188 net tons. Reimbursements climbed to \$269,774.85, with charges of \$89,022.46. The net revenue to generators for the period was \$180,752.39.

Contact Tom Heil at 502-564-6716, ext. 4640 or at Thomas.Heil@ky.gov and click on <http://waste.ky.gov/RLA/recycling/Pages/ElectronicsRecycling.aspx> if you have questions about electronic recycling.

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COMMODITY	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	Sep-11	Oct-11	Oct-10
<u>PAPER-\$/TON</u>	Official Board Markets (Chicago area) FOB							
-	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	3-Sep-11	1-Oct-11	Oct-10
#2 mixed paper	\$75-80	\$75-80	\$85-90	\$90-100	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$100-110	\$65-70
#37 sorted office paper (SOP)	\$230-240	\$250-260	\$250-260	\$265-275	\$280-290	\$260-270	\$240-250	\$210-220
#6 ONP	\$55-60	\$55-60	\$55-60	\$55-60	\$60-65	\$60-65	\$60-65	\$35-40
#8 ONP	\$135-145	\$135-145	\$120-130	\$120-130	\$120-130	\$120-130	\$120-130	\$80-85
#40 sorted white ledger (SWL)	\$290-300	\$320-330	\$330-340	\$340-350	\$350-360	\$330-340	\$310-320	\$330-340
#11 OCC	\$125-135	\$130-140	\$130-140	\$145-155	\$155-165	\$150-160	\$140-150	\$115-125
<u>PLASTICS-¢/LB.</u>	Market sources serving KY & Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - FOB							
-	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	6-Sep-11	3-Oct-11	Oct-10
#1 PET - mixed (clear & green)	\$0.37	\$0.36	\$0.33	\$0.29	\$0.31	\$0.32	\$0.33	\$0.19
#2 HDPE (natural-milk jugs)	\$0.41	\$0.41	\$0.40	\$0.34	\$0.35	\$0.36	\$0.36	\$0.26
#2 HDPE (colored-detergent btl.)	\$0.34	\$0.35	\$0.31	\$0.21	\$0.17	\$0.20	\$0.23	\$0.18
<u>GLASS-\$/TON</u>	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - Delivered							
-	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	6-Sep-11	3-Oct-11	Oct-10
clear (flint)	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$32.00	\$34.00	\$15.00
brown (amber)	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$21.00	\$23.00	\$8.00
green	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$4.00
<u>METALS</u>	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - Delivered							
-	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	6-Sep-11	3-Oct-11	Oct-10
aluminum beverage cans (UBC) cents/lb.	\$0.96	\$1.01	\$0.98	\$0.92	\$0.90	\$0.91	\$0.91	\$0.78
	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - Delivered							
	Apr-11	May-11	Jun-11	Jul-11	Aug-11	6-Sep-11	11-Oct-11	Oct-10
steel cans \$/TON	\$115-120	\$115-120	\$115-120	\$115-120	\$115-120	\$115-120	\$115-120	\$111.00



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